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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the nonfinal Office Action dated November 27, 1996, please enter the following amendments in the subject application:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 8, line 14: after "meant" pleáse delete "2 (preferably 7, more preferably 13, most preferably 25) and substitute therefore --30--.

Page 25, line 7: after "shows" please insert --relevant regions of--.

Page 94, line 3: after "acids" please insert ----(8EQ ID NOS: 11 and 12, respectively)--.